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that has at least one face disposed on the structured surface and at least another face disposed on the machined substrate.

20. (Amended) A compound substrate comprising a substantially replicated substrate and a machined substrate, the replicated substrate having a structured surface and the machined substrate disposed in discrete pieces on the structured surface each of the replicated and machined substrates having an exposed surface that defines a cube corner element on the compound substrate.

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40. (Amended) A compound substrate having a structured surface comprising a substantially replicated portion and a machined portion, the compound substrate further comprising at least one compound face thereon wherein the at least one compound face has a substantially planar surface having a first face portion on the machined portion of the compound substrate and a second face portion on the substantially replicated portion of the substrate, the first and second face portions being on opposite side of the transition line, the first and second face portions comprising separate faces of a cube corner element.

Please cancel claims 1-8, 38 and 39 without prejudice to Applicant's right to file a continuing application directed to the subject matter of those claims.

A version marked up to show changes made to claims 16, 20 and 40 relative to the previous version of the claims is attached.

REMARKS

Claims 16, 20 and 40 have been amended. Claims 1-8 and 38-39 have been cancelled. Claims 16-23 and 40 are pending.

Examination and reconsideration of the claims as amended is requested.

Applicants respectfully request entry of this Amendment After Final Rejection. The amendments to the claims raise no new issues that would require further consideration, no additional claims are presented, and no issues of new matter are raised as basis is provided in the specification for each new limitation. Specifically, support may be found in the specification at, *inter alia*, page 5, lines 14-25, FIGS. 9-11, 14, and 22. These disclosures show